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Whitehall, July 27, 1754.

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HOLDERNESSE.

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This Day Signior Vignola, Reſident from Venice, had a private Audience of Leave of his Royal Highneſs the Prince of Wales; to which he was introduced by Sir Clement Cottrell Dormer, Knt. Maſter of the Ceremonies.

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Lisbon, Aug. 16. The Queen Dowager, who ſeemed to be on the mending Hand for ſome Days, died on Wedneſday laſt, univerſally regretted. Her Majeſty, who was named Marie-Anne Joſeph-Antoinette-Regine, was aged 70 Years, 11 Months and 5 Days. She was Daughter to the Emperor Leopold, by Elenore-Madeleine of Neuburg. The 9th of July 1708, ſhe married John V. King of Portugal, who died in the Year 1750, by whom ſhe had three Children, Don Joſeph his preſent Majeſty, Don Pedro, and the preſent Queen of Spain.

Rome, Aug. 30. The Pope has formed a new Plan for accommodating the Differences between the King of the Two Sicilies, and the Order of Malta, which 'tis hoped will prove Satisfactory to both Parties, and the ſame is already diſpatched to Naples and Malta for their reſpective Approbations.

Parma, Aug. 30. The Infant Duke our Sovereign, who came here on the 22d Inſtant from Colorno, returned thither laſt Monday, accompanied by the Infante his Spouſe, who continues to advance happily in her Pregnancy. The Marqueſs de Grimaldi having executed the Commiſſion with which he was charged from the Court of Spain, is ſet out for Genoa, on his Way to Madrid, in order to lay before his Catholick Majeſty the Meaſures that were taken, during his Stay at this Court, for putting the Commerce and Finances of this Dutchy, and thoſe of Plaſentia and Guaſtalla, upon a good Footing.

Poſnania, Aug. 31. We have received Advice from the Frontiers of the Ukraine, that the Heyducks continue to make Incurſions upon the Territories of that Province, where they have lately plundered two Villages; but as they were carrying off their Booty, they were met in a Wood by a ſtrong Detachment of the Crown Army, who, after making a terrible Slaughter, recovered the greateſt Part of their Plunder.

Warſaw, Sept. 2. On Monday laſt the Deputies appointed to repreſent this City at the approaching General Diet, were introduced to the King, and moſt graciouſly received. We

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are informed, that the Dietines, for the Election of Deputies to assist at the said General Diet, are now holding in the several Palatinates of this Kingdom, though not with the wished for Success, as many of them are already separated without coming to an Election.

Saare-Louis, Sept. 3. The Troops that compose the Camp formed in this Neighbourhood, consist of 14 Battalions and 19 Squadrons, and are commanded by M. de Chevert, who is to review them next Week, when they are to go through their whole Exercise.

Vienna, Sept. 4. The Archdutchesses Mary-Anne, Mary-Christian, and Mary-Elizabeth, who have been for some Time at Goldegg, a Seat belonging to Prince Trautson, returned Yesterday to Schonbrun. Their Imperial Majesties are expected here about the Middle of this Month from Bohemia.

Copenhagen, Sept. 7. The Anniversary of the Birth of the Queen was celebrated at the Castle of Frederichsbourgh on Wednesday last, with great Magnificence; on which Occasion their Majesties received the Compliments of the Nobility, Foreign Ministers, and other Persons of Distinction. Their Majesties set out the Day before Yesterday for Jagerspreys, from whence they will come next Tuesday, in order to reside here. The Ship, called the Three Princesses, commanded by Captain Pfeif, which has been for some Time past expected from Bengal, arrived Yesterday in our Road with a very valuable Cargo on board.

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Hanau, Sept. 10. The Princess Charlotte of Lorrain, who set out from Prague on the 2d Instant, arrived at Aschaffenbourg Yesterday about Noon. Her Royal Highness dined with the Elector of Mentz, and afterwards proceeded to Dettingen; and this Day she continued her Journey to the Low Countries. As her Royal Highness passed through this City, she was saluted by a triple Discharge of the Cannon on our Ramparts.

Berlin, Sept. 10. His Majesty has conferred on M. de Driesen, Major General of Horse, and Commandant of the Prince of Prussia's Regiment of Cuirassiers, the Office of Grand Bailiff of Oosterode. Rear Admiral Baron de Petersen, and M. Backer, Secretary of Amsterdam, arrived here a few Days ago; and on Wednesday last they had the Honour to be presented to the two Queens, who received them very graciously. The King, before his Departure for Silesia, conferred on M. de Munchow, Lieutenant Colonel of the Regiment of Foot of the late Count Haake, the Office of Grand Bailiff of Sparrenberg. The King having appointed the Lord Marshall, heretofore Ambassador from this Court to that of France, to be Governor of the Principality of Neuschatel, his Lordship set out last Tuesday to take Possession of that Employment.

Berlin, Sept. 12. The Hereditary Prince of Hesse Darmstadt, and his Spouse, set out from hence on the 7th Instant, on their Return to Prentzlow. Rear Admiral Baron de Petersen, and M. Backer, Secretary of Amsterdam, having seen all the Curiosities in this City, Potsdam, and the Royal Palaces of Sans Souci and Charlottenbourg, are preparing to set out for Holland. By the last Letters received from Silesia we are informed, that the King arrived last Thursday Morning at Great Glogau. The same Day he reviewed the Regiment of Fusileers of Du Moulin, and the two Companies of Grenadiers of the Regiment of Mutschephal, which compose the Garrison of that Place; and the next Day his Majesty set out for the Camp near Breslau.

Hambourg, Sept. 13. We learn by Letters from Scania, that their Swedish Majesties arrived at Malmoe on the 25th of last Month, and rested there on the 26th, and on the 27th continued their Route for Lunden, where they were received with the greatest Demonstrations of Joy by the Inhabitants.

Haerlem, Sept. 14. Her Royal Highness the Princess Governante has approved of the Nomination of Messr. Jacob Deutz, Albert Testa, Conrad de Schuylenbourg, and Gilbert Jean de Bruyn, to be Burgomasters of this Place.

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HOLDERNESSE.

And, as a further Encouragement, I, William Chamberlain, of Cheapside, London, do, hereby, promise a Reward of Thirty Pounds, to any Person, or Persons, making such Discovery as aforesaid, (except the Person who actually committed the said Murder,) to be paid, upon the Conviction of one, or more, of the Criminals, by me William Chamberlain.

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By Command of the Post-Master-General,
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N. B. This Mail was afterwards found and brought safe to the Office.

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Publick Notice is hereby given, That a Mail for Corunna, including the Letters to Oporto, will, for the Future, be made up, and forwarded, from this Office, every Tuesday; and that all such Letters, for Oporto, as are intended to pass by the Way of Lisbon, must be marked accordingly, otherwise they will, in Course, be forwarded by the Corunna Mail.

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A General Meeting of the Trustees for Making, Widening, and keeping in Repair, several Roads in the several Parishes of Lambeth, Newington, St. George's Southwark, and Bermondsey, in the County of Surry, will be held at the Royal Oak at Vauxhall, on Saturday the 5th Day of October 1754, *at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, to audit the Treasurer's Accounts, for the Choice of Toll Collectors, and other Business relating to the Trust.* Richard Summersell, *Clerk.*

Advertisements.

ALL Persons, who have any Claim or Demand on the Estate of the late Mr. Thomas Meighan, Bookseller in Drury Lane, or his Executrix, lately deceased, are desired to send their Accounts immediately to Mr. William Perkins, Merchant, and Executor, at his House in Dolphin Court in Tower-street, that the same may be paid: And all Persons indebted to the said Estate are desired to pay the same without further Notice.

N. B. The Trade will be carried on in the Name of Martha Meighan, Grand Daughter to the deceased; and every body will be used in the best Manner.

ALL Persons, who have any Demands on the Estate and Effects of Thomas Gunby, late of Hixton in the County of Suffolk, Clerk, an Insolvent Debtor, now deceased, that have not already given in their Accounts and Affidavits to the Assignees, are required to send an Account of such their Demands, with an Affidavit in Proof thereof, to Mr. William Kingsbury of Bungay in the County of Suffolk, Maltster, the surviving Assignee of the Estate and Effects of the said Insolvent, within one Month from the Date of this Advertisement, in order that a Distribution may be made of the said Insolvent's Effects, amongst such of his Creditors as are intitled thereto. Dated the 18th of Sept. 1754.

WHereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Thomas Brown, late of Birmingham in the County of Warwick, Brush maker and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners in the said Commission named, or the major Part of them, on the 8th and 9th Days of October next, and on the 5th of November following, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, on each of the said Days, at the House of William Stevenson, known by the Sign of the Rose in Edgbaston-street in Birmingham aforesaid, and make a full Discovery and Disclosure of his Estate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the second Sitting to choose Assignees, and at the last Sitting the said Bankrupt is required to finish his Examination, and the Creditors are to assent to or dissent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Persons indebted to the said Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the same, but to whom the Commissioners shall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Thomas Steward, Attorney, in Birmingham aforesaid.

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By Command of the Postmaster-General,
Geo. Shelvocke, *Secretary.*

A General Meeting of the Trustees for Making, Widening, and keeping in Repair, several Roads in the several Parishes of Lambeth, Newington, St. George's Southwark, and Bermondsey, in the County of Surry, will be held at the Royal Oak at Vauxhall, on Saturday the 5th Day of October 1754, *at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, to audit the Treasurer's Accounts, for the Choice of Toll Collectors, and other Business relating to the Trust.* Richard Summersell, *Clerk.*

Advertisements.

ALL Persons, who have any Claim or Demand on the Estate of the late Mr. Thomas Meighan, Bookseller in Drury Lane, or his Executrix, lately deceased, are desired to send their Accounts immediately to Mr. William Perkins, Merchant, and Executor, at his House in Dolphin Court in Tower-street, that the same may be paid: And all Persons indebted to the said Estate are desired to pay the same without further Notice.

N. B. The Trade will be carried on in the Name of Martha Meighan, Grand Daughter to the deceased; and every body will be used in the best Manner.

ALL Persons, who have any Demands on the Estate and Effects of Thomas Gunby, late of Hixton in the County of Suffolk, Clerk, an Insolvent Debtor, now deceased, that have not already given in their Accounts and Affidavits to the Assignees, are required to send an Account of such their Demands, with an Affidavit in Proof thereof, to Mr. William Kingsbury of Bungay in the County of Suffolk, Maltster, the surviving Assignee of the Estate and Effects of the said Insolvent, within one Month from the Date of this Advertisement, in order that a Distribution may be made of the said Insolvent's Effects, amongst such of his Creditors as are intitled thereto. Dated the 18th of Sept. 1754.

WHereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Thomas Brown, late of Birmingham in the County of Warwick, Brush maker and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners in the said Commission named, or the major Part of them, on the 8th and 9th Days of October next, and on the 5th of November following, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, on each of the said Days, at the House of William Stevenson, known by the Sign of the Rose in Edgbaston-street in Birmingham aforesaid, and make a full Discovery and Disclosure of his Estate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the second Sitting to choose Assignees, and at the last Sitting the said Bankrupt is required to finish his Examination, and the Creditors are to assent to or dissent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Persons indebted to the said Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the same, but to whom the Commissioners shall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Thomas Steward, Attorney, in Birmingham aforesaid.

WHereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against John Gibson, of Mansfield in the County of Nottingham, Linnen Draper, Haberdasher and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners in the said Commission named, or the major Part of them, on the 27th of September Instant, at Four o'Clock in the Afternoon, on the 5th of October next at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, and on the 5th of November following at Four o'Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Discovery and Disclosure of his Estate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the second Sitting to chuse Assignees, and at the last Sitting the said Bankrupt is required to finish his Examination, and the Creditors are to assent to or dissent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Persons indebted to the said Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to whom the Commissioners shall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Morse, Attorney, in Queen Street, Cheapside, London.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Joseph Badger, of Grace Church Street, London, Haberdasher of Hatts, Dealer in Sweets and Chapman, intend to meet on the 25th Day of October next, at Three o'Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a Dividend of the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Dividend.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Conrad Lang and Jacob Hackman, of Scotch Yard, Bush Lane, London, Merchants and Partners, intend to meet on the 23d of October next, at Three o'Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a Dividend of the said Bankrupts Estate and Effects; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Dividend.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against John Saxon, late of Sunderland, in the County of Durham, Merger, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 1st of November next, at Four of the Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a Dividend of the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Dividend.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against John Appleyard, of the Parish of St. Sepulchre, in the County of Middlesex, Oylman, intend to meet on the 1st of November next, at Four of the Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a Dividend of the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Dividend.

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